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SATURDAY, DEC. 19, 1874.
TERMS OF ADVERTISING.
ONE DOLLAR per square of ten lines, first insertion, and TWENTY-FIVE CENTS per square for each subsequent insertion.
POSTAL CHANGES.
The following postal changes went into operation, July 1st, 1874: All publications are sent by post to subscribers in the country in which they are published. Books and newspapers, can be sent by mail at the rate of one cent for every two ounces or fraction over. The packages may be entirely enclosed. Some portion of sealed packages must be opened for inspection.

LOCAL BREVITIES.
A large hotel will soon be erected at Cucamonga.
Several \$30,000 residences will soon be erected in the suburbs of this city.
The Wm. Taber will sail for San Francisco to-morrow.
Ranchmen in the neighborhood of Los Angeles report half an inch of ice yesterday morning.

Look out for the Chinese Laundry and the Mutton Trial at Little Mac's Minstrels to-night.
Between one hundred and fifty and two hundred buildings have been erected in Los Angeles during the present year.
The Lafayette Hotel is to have another story added to it. The present dimensions of the house are too small to meet the increased patronage.

There is a chance for an intelligent and willing boy to procure employment at the Fish and Poultry Market, Los Angeles street.
The schooner Ivanhoe, Captain Welsh, sailed from Wilmington this morning for San Francisco, to stop at Point Sal.
The whole number of Granges reported this month in the United States is 21,472, an increase of 864 during November.

Dr. Brennan's lecture to-morrow night at Turn-Verein Hall will be free. There will be a large attendance and those who desire seats should go early.
We acknowledge a call from Mr. Matriek, editor of the Visalia Times, who is on a short visit to our city. Our latest string is always on the outside for a brother quill.

Dr. John O'Farrell, of the firm of Goodall, Nelson & Perkins, is visiting our city. The Doctor is so well pleased with Los Angeles that he pays us frequent visits.
The engine "Wilmington" got off the track below the depot yesterday and caused considerable trouble and delay to the railroad men in setting it to rights. No serious damage was done, however.

The Los Angeles Social Club elected the following officers at its meeting Thursday night: President, T. E. Rowan; Vice-President, M. J. Newman; Secretary, B. F. Drakenfelt; Treasurer, P. N. Roth; Directors, Judge Sepulveda, W. T. Brodick, Chas. Jacoby and Constant Meyer.
Mr. J. H. Bland, who has acquired a favorable reputation as one of the most enterprising real estate agents of our city, has associated with himself in business Mr. Ruggles, and the firm will hereafter be known as Ruggles & Bland. Their advertisement appears under the head of "New Today."

City Surveyor Moore and Mr. M. Kelleher have formed a partnership as civil engineers, surveyors and draughtsmen, with an office in Wolfskill's building on New High street. Captain Moore already commands the confidence of our citizens and Mr. Kelleher comes to us with excellent recommendations. We predict for the new firm a full share of patronage.
A gentleman just in from Spadra reports lively times in that burg and much passenger and freight traffic going through for Panamint and Arizona. Uncle Billy Rubottom's house is kept full to overflowing. On Wednesday evening he lodged fifty guests, and it was not an extraordinarily lively day, either. The town will soon have another saloon and restaurant under the proprietorship of Messrs. Osborne and Robinson. On Wednesday night a gale visited the place, which blew down a house in course of construction by Mr. Hutchinson.

Dr. Lucky informs us that the total receipts of the school entertainment Thursday night were \$200. After paying all expenses, the net return is \$250. This will pay the indebtedness on philosophical instruments of \$55, purchase the desired physiological apparatus, to cost \$95, and leave \$100 to buy a fine magic lantern. In a few weeks a fund of \$250 will come to the school from State monies, and this can be applied to enlarging the library or purchasing more scientific apparatus. The High School will then be as well supplied with these necessary adjuncts to study as any school in the State and better than many colleges.

The portion of the recent Postoffice regulations for the prepayment of the postage on newspapers and periodicals relative to country papers has been modified as follows: "Newspapers, without regard to the frequency of issue, one copy to each subscriber actually for the time being residing in the county where the same are printed are entitled to pass free of postage through the mails; but the rate of postage on the same, excepting weeklies, when deposited in a letter carrier's office for delivery by the office or its carriers, shall be uniform with that of newspapers, when sent through the mails to be pre-paid at the mailing office by special adhesive stamps.

The examinations in the English-German school, under the superintendence of Prof. Ploennis, passed off very successfully yesterday. The scholars exhibited a degree of proficiency, both in English and German, in which they have had equal training, which reflected credit upon their industry and the care of their teacher. A good number of visitors were present during the day to lend encouragement to the cause by their presence. After the close of the examinations, the scholars surprised the Professor by a multitude of Christmas gifts, each contributing something as a mark of esteem. There will now be a vacation of the schools until January 4th.
Mr. Will R. Bettis, lately engaged in Brodick's book-store, has taken the agency in our city for several new books soon to be issued from the Eastern press. He is now canvassing for Joaquin Miller's latest work, "Unwritten History or Life Among the Modes." This work is destined to become universally popular, and we have no doubt that Mr. Bettis will find a large sale for it in Los Angeles. Mr. John W. Volante, late chief clerk of the Clarendon Hotel will also do something in the canvassing line in conjunction with Mr. Bettis. Both of the young gentlemen are widely and favorably known here and we bespeak for them the best of success.

THE GRANGES AND THE RAILROADS.
To Geo. C. Gibbs, Esq., Delegate to the California State Grange:
Sir: While the Grange organizations throughout the United States eschew politics, I presume they do not intend this abnegation of political questions to be understood in its general sense, but rather in the conventional use of the term, as applied to partisanship; because there is no class of citizens more deeply interested in the political system of the nation than the farmers and agriculturists.

No other class of our people contributes so largely towards defraying the expenses of the National, State and county governments, in proportion to their actual capital or their yearly income, as that which obtains its livelihood from the products of the soil. Such being the case, there is no class of the community so deeply interested or so highly entitled to the benefits flowing from government, as the farming class.

In all past ages and in all the varied forms of government which the ingenuity of man has been able to call into existence, those who have forced the soil to give forth out of its store-house the wealth which nature has laid up therein, have exercised but little influence upon the politics of their respective countries. The soldier, the landlord, the merchant and the capitalist have been those who, without consulting the interests of those who by their skill and toil in cultivating the earth, constitute the bone and muscle, the true wealth of the country, have moulded and guided the politics of the government. I cannot, therefore, entertain the idea that in this day and generation and in these United States, where knowledge is diffused among the agricultural class to a higher degree and greater extent than in almost any other nation, they should voluntarily oblige the principles of sound political economy and refrain from an effort to carry these principles into effect.

It is an axiom that the means for the accomplishment of an enterprise must be in proportion to the magnitude of that enterprise. That which may be beyond the means of one man, may be easily performed by the combined power of two men. Thus we see great enterprises carried to successful execution by associations, which could not have been effected by the efforts of one or two individuals. There are enterprises the accomplishment of which are not only beyond the means of individuals, but of a magnitude so great as to bar the attempt to carry them into execution by any vote of association of individuals. These, to be brought to a successful issue, must be undertaken by the whole people, by the nation, acting through and by means of its government. It is in this way that the great works of past ages and peoples were accomplished, and it is thus that in modern times and at the present day, great enterprises for the welfare of the people have been crowned with success.

That the highways of commerce for the interchange of the products of the soil and of industry in general, whether those ways are over the water or upon the land, should be so far as to afford the greatest facility and promptness and at the least cost, are most beneficial to those whose products are derived from the soil, must be apparent. The productions of the farm are of greater value and in greater proportion to their market value than are those of the workshop and manufactory; consequently, those means through which the cost and length of time required for the transportation of the produce of the land is lessened, operate more directly for the benefit of the agricultural than for that of any other class of inhabitants.

While it may be susceptible of demonstration that it is more profitable to the burden of building the railways of the United States has fallen upon the farming and agricultural classes, it must be admitted that their construction has greatly benefited these classes of our community, and that there are projected railways, the prompt completion of which would have to the great benefit of the farming and agricultural interests of the nation, admit of no doubt.
Although the cost of constructing a railway is an item that must be taken into consideration when determining the rate of fares and freights, yet this item, great as it is, loses in a great measure its importance, when placed by the side of the yearly expense of operating the road and keeping it and the rolling stock in repair.

[To be concluded to-morrow.]
It will be the policy of the Democratic party to give every girl in the land a sewing machine and a feller, also—Richmond Enquirer. Republican papers please copy.
The happiest people in the United States are those of Lebanon, Ohio. Two circuses are to winter in the town.
The St. Louis papers put it thus: "Two niggers and a razor. Now one nigger. The Coroner held the inquest."

THE DAY IS DONE.
BY H. W. LONGFELLOW.
The day is done, and the darkness
Falls from the wings of Night,
As a feather is wafted downward
From an eagle in his flight.
I see the light of the village
Gleam through the rain and the mist,
And a feeling of sadness o'er me
That my soul cannot resist.
A feeling of sadness and longing,
That is not akin to pain,
And resembles sorrow only
As the mist resembles the rain.
Come read to me some poem,
Some simple and heartfelt lay,
That shall soothe this restless feeling,
And banish the thoughts of Day.
Not from the grand old masters,
Not from the bardic sublime,
But from the simple and the true,
Whose diction is the sense of Time,
Through the corridors of time,
For, like the strains of martial music,
Their melodies suggest to
Life's endless and endearing
And to-night I long for rest.
Read from some humble poet,
Whose songs gushed from his heart,
As showers from the clouds of summer,
Or tears from the eyelids start.
Who, through long years of labor,
And nights devoted to his art,
Still heard in his soul the music
Of wonderful melodies.
Such songs have power to quiet
The restless pulse of care,
And come like the benediction
That follows after prayer.
Then read from the treasure volume,
The poem of thy choice,
And lend to the rhyme of the poet
The beauty of thy voice.
And the night shall be filled with music,
And the cares that infest the day
Shall shut their tents like Arabians,
And steeply yield their way.

Physiological Lectures.
Dr. Paul M. Brennan, one of the most prominent physicians of San Francisco, is stopping in our city on a professional visit. He will commence a series of lectures to-morrow night at Turn-Verein Hall. The subject of the first lecture will be "The Human Mind and its Influences upon the Body." The lecture promises to be very interesting and instructive, and the hall will doubtless be well filled. Besides delivering a course of physiological lectures, the Doctor will devote a good portion of his time to practice while he remains with us. The San Francisco Post, in commenting upon one of Dr. Brennan's lectures at that place, says:
Dr. Brennan's lecture Sunday evening was well attended, and spoken of very highly by those who had the pleasure of listening to him. His views of the spirit or soul permeating every part of the human body were thoroughly original, and proved beyond contradiction. This gentleman's versatility and elaborate reasoning could not fail to please every person of common sense and reason. The principles he expounded were beautifully drawn, and were in strict accordance with true religious belief. His picture of nature and that of the spirit's connection with the Supreme Being was really sublime.
The "Mysteries of Matrimony, or the Philosophy of Conception and Gestation," is the text of his lecture this evening, which will be his farewell. This lecture is the *creme de la creme* of his course, and presents facts that every man and boy in the land should hear. These facts are the results of the latest medical research and are all new and not now laid down in any textbook. They have shown the origin of the Doctor for his fearless advocacy of doctrines that they would dare not touch. Go and hear him.

The Minutemen of Alons.
Gold-beaters, by hammering, can reduce gold leaves of the 32,000 must be laid upon each other to produce the thickness of an inch; yet those leaves are perfect, or without holes, so that one of them laid upon any surface, as in gilding, give the appearance of solid gold. It is so thin that if formed into a book, 1,500 would only occupy the space of a single leaf of common paper; and an octavo volume of an inch thick would have as many pages as the books of a well-stocked library of 1,500 volumes, with 400 pages each. Still thinner than this is the coating of gold on the silver wire of what is called gold lace, and we are not sure but such coating is only one atom thick. Platinum and silver can be drawn into wire much finer than human hair. A grain of blue vitrol or carmine will tinge a gallon of water, so that in every drop of color there is a great deal of color. A milk of codfish or in water in which certain vegetables have been infused, the microscope discovers animalcules of which many thousands together do not equal in bulk a grain of sand; and with a structure with singular prodigality, has supplied many of these with organs as complex as those of a whale or elephant; and the bodies consist of the same substances or ultimate atoms as that of man himself. In a single pound of such matter there are more living creatures than human beings on the face of the globe. What a scene has the microscope opened to the admiration of the philosophic enquirer!

Water, mercury, sulphur, or, in general, any substance when sufficiently heated, rises as a vapor or gas—that is, it is reduced to the aërial state. Great heat, therefore, would disperse the whole of the material universe to disappear and the most solid bodies to become quite as invisible and impalpable as the air we breathe. Few persons have contemplated an annihilation of the world more complete than this.
Sketch of H. H. Granice.
Mrs. Rowena Granice Steele, mother of the young man who killed Mr. Madden, editor of the Tribune, at Merced, has contributed a sketch of the life of her son, from which some facts of general interest are gleaned.
Harry Hale Granice Cloughly was born in the city of New York, December 3d, 1849, on Ninth avenue, between 18th and 19th streets. His father, Thomas N. Cloughly, was for a number of years proprietor of Extension Furniture Warehouses, on the corner of Bowery and Bond streets, New York. He came to California in '53, and died in San Francisco in '59, and was buried in Lone Mountain. Harry had but one brother, G. Law Granice Cloughly. Both brothers dropped their father's name and adopted the name of their mother's maiden name in consequence of domestic troubles. Harry, with his brother G. Law, came to California in March, 1857, to join their mother, who had preceded them to the Golden State. In 1861 the mother was married to Robert J. Steele, and Harry, at the age of 12, entered Mr. Steele's printing office. A few years since he worked a few days on the Tuolumne Tribune, in which Mr. Steele had an interest. For the last six years he has acted as foreman in the office of

his step-father, with the exception of nine months, six of which he spent at the Pacific Business College of San Francisco. He has been a resident of Merced county for nearly thirteen years.

All Sorts of Items.
Quarrel with dead men and you will not get hurt.
There are no lawyers in Russia, but still there seem to be a great many hard cases.
A Virginia paper has noticed that laws are changed as soon as the people become familiar with them.

Justice Walsh of Redwood City, on Thursday, discharged the Chinaman arrested for the murder of the old man found butchered on the premises of O. McMahon, the evidence being insufficient to convict.
REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.
Deeds filed for record for the 48 hours ending December 18, 1874, as reported for the HERALD by Jackson, Gillette & Adams, examiners of title, No. 39, Spring street, Los Angeles:
Jose Mascarell to Ed. Naud—Lot on Alameda street, 20 feet front by 100 deep; \$1,500.
Order of sale of real estate and order confirming sale in estate of Samuel Gray, deceased, W. of C. \$200,000, gold.
J. A. Williams to J. C. Hickey—104 acres in Rancho Santiago de Santa Ana; \$1,700.
Maria Jesus Cruz to F. Yoda et al.—Lot near church in San Juan Capistrano.
S. S. Mallard et ux. to S. R. Cox—Three acres in S. R. Cox to J. W. Hanson—Ten acres three miles S. W. of C. \$300,000, gold.
S. G. Orange Grove Ass'n to W. T. Clapp—Certain lands in company's tract, Rancho San Rafael; \$200.
S. S. to H. J. Holmes—Certain lands in same tract; \$200.
A. Melhorn to J. Scholtz—About 40 acres in Rancho Rodeo de las Aguas; \$1,400.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.
CLARENDON.
C Warren, Monte
H Smith, do
S Meyers, Florida
J W Bonathans, P
R C Wood, do
H H Lyons, do
J H Wilson, do
D Kandi, do
H H Howard, do
O M Mevey, do
J McLean, Tenn
C A Sumner, Laguna
S Miller, do
C J Berry, S Diego
P M Brennan, S F
J P Keer, do
S Rowley, do
D Bailey, do
J N Oaks, do
J H Barnes, Ya
C Gifford, do
J P Tonna, do
J Stanley, Cal
W J Williams, S Ana
S F McDonald, Wt Hills
W F Wells, Mass
E Caldwell, Wt 2 sons
Riverside
M S Hall & wife, Mo
D Arlos, Mexico
H K Enkh, Ventura
W Marshall, do
F S White, do
J Torrey, Westminster
Mrs Athearn, Anh
L W Kirby, do
C J Berry, S Diego
E C Rowder, S Berba
S Burton, Pittsburg
O F Kimble, do
H K Enkh, 2 do
H P Seagood, do
J M Barnes, Ya
J M Matthews, S Pasq
LAFAYETTE.
T Dunne, D C
S J Meyers, S F
J Bartlett, Kansas
A Stewart, Omaha
J Fisher, Orange
A C Clare, do

How is it that the People's Palace is so popular with the public? Echo answers: Not alone do they charge very low for goods at the Palace, but they also offer an additional inducement by presenting each customer buying \$5 worth of goods with a Christmas present. In a great many instances the presents are more valuable than \$5, some ranging in value as high as \$50.
The Centinela Land Company of Los Angeles give notice that the books for subscription to the capital of the Centinela Land Company, are now open and ready for subscription at the Banking House of Temple & Workman and at the Los Angeles County Bank.
For a stylish hat, a nice pair of boots or gaiters, call at the People's Palace, 40 Main street.
Three hundred and eighty Christmas presents have been given away at the People's Palace since the 1st of December, and 2,000 presents are still on hand, one of which will be given to each of those buying five dollars worth of goods.
Our assortment of gents' and boys' clothing is complete. You can find the latest style silk diagonal suits of coats and vests; best quality silk velvet vests at the lowest prices, at the People's Palace, 40 Main street.
You can't name anything in the smoker's line which Cohen & Davis do not keep at the Ideal, No. 38, Main street. Their stock is of the best quality and their prices down to bedrock.
Go to the Ideal, No. 38 Main street, for your new pocket handkerchief and suspenders. The best stock of gentlemen's furnishing goods in the city is to be found there.
If you want good photographs or other pictures, patronize Addis, opposite Pico House. He makes pictures at half the prices charged by the other galleries.
The Ideal still continues its thriving trade. The reason for this is that all goods sold at the establishment prove just as they are represented.
At the People's Palace you get seven towels for \$1; table covers, all wool, at \$1 25; twelve yards calico for \$1; four spoons of cotton (Brooks) for 25 cents.
When it comes to a cigar that will afford you real satisfaction in smoking, it is to be bought of Cohen & Davis at the Ideal, No. 38, Main street.
The most extensive stock of gentlemen's furnishing goods, cigars, tobacco and smokers' articles in the city, is kept at the Ideal, No. 38 Main street.

Agency Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company. Assets, \$2,000,000. Agency State Investment Insurance Company, Fire and Marine. Assets, \$500,000, at Brodick's Book Store, near the Postoffice.

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AUCTION!
Dewey, Kimball & Co.,
NEW U. S. HOTEL BUILDING,
Saturday Night, Dec. 19,
And continued nightly until further notice.
CHRISTMAS GOODS
—FOR—
CHILDREN AND MEN.
Books,
Pictures,
Picture Frames,
Toys,
Writing Books,
Song Books,
Albums,
Revolvers,
Watches,
WINDOW SHADES, WALL PAPER, ETC.

Special Notices.
Dr. Paul M. Brennan will be in Los Angeles in a short time to deliver a course of lectures on the Laws of Life and Health. We will follow him from the San Jose Mercury concerning a similar course which the Doctor delivered in that place. On Thursday evening Dr. Brennan delivered an instructive lecture to men only. The lecture was largely attended and highly appreciated. By special request of the ladies who attended the lecture on Wednesday afternoon the Doctor will deliver another lecture to their sex this afternoon at 2 o'clock. His subject will be "Health, Happiness and Beauty of Women." The ladies of San Jose should turn out and fill the Opera House. To-morrow evening he will deliver his last lecture for both sexes. Subject, "The Present Condition of Society." The lecture will be free.
BANCROFT & THAYER, Real Estate Brokers, No. 21 Spring street. City and county freights bought, sold and exchanged. Loans negotiated, money advanced on Real and Personal securities. Publishers of the Los Angeles Real Estate Reporter.
W. C. HUGHES & Co's Weekly Stage Line For Panamint. For passage or packages, enquire of F. Weber, or corner of Aliso and Alameda streets, Los Angeles.
The tide of immigration is steadily setting in, and the first thing eastern people do is to throw away their New York Hats and buy a new one of Deacons. They say there is no comparison between the two.
Go to the Fashionable Tailor, Fitzpatrick, when you want a fine suit of clothes. You desire recommendation, ask any of our numerous customers, and you will be told that "Fitz" always does his work well—no good work, good material and reasonable prices.
For bill posting, distribution of circulars, programmes, cards, election announcements, etc., leave orders with S. S. Walker, the only and regular Bill Poster in the city. Office at the Star office, or orders may be left at any of the printing offices.
Phoenix Insurance Company, Hartford, Connecticut; Home Insurance Company, New York; North British & Mercantile Insurance Co., London and Edinburgh; Combined Assets, \$20,000,000, gold.
CHAS. E. JOHNSON, 52 Temple Block, Los Angeles, Cal.

New Goods! New Goods! Marxsen Bros. of the new variety store, corner of Main and Third streets, keep constantly on hand a large variety of Dry goods, Clothing, Gents' underwear, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, etc. A large supply of new goods just received, and sold at reasonable rates. All goods are of the best quality; no auction goods sold by us. We respectfully solicit the public to examine our goods and judge for themselves. Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge.
BOWLING ALLEY, Billiard and Oyster Saloon, in the basement of the U. S. Hotel building, formerly occupied by the Cucamonga Wine Depot, a Saloon with a first class stock of Wines, Liquors, Cigars, etc., and the best accommodation for customers. No charge will be made for patrons for the use of billiard tables and Alley. A lunch will be served in the evening. MELCHERT & STOLL, Proprietors.

MISCELLANEOUS.
Castac Mining Company.
All Persons holding claims against this Company, are requested to present the same to the Secretary who will pay them his share.
L. E. PERKINS, Secretary.
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FALKENAU & SCHAD
DESIRE TO INFORM THE PUBLIC that they have opened a MUSIC STORE at No. 60 Spring street, where they intend to keep an assortment of the newest and most desirable songs and sheet music for piano, organ, violin, etc., as well as the most approved instruction books.
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OYSTER SALOON
in the basement of the U. S. Hotel building, in connection with
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where I will serve
Eastern and Pacific Coast Oysters
in every style, day and evening. Also, the best ENGLISH ALE and PORTER constantly on hand.
Oysters Received by every Steamer.
Give me a call and I will guarantee satisfaction.
GEU. J. SCHNORRENBERG,
In basement of U. S. Hotel building, opposite Wells, Fargo & Co's Express office, Main St. nov10

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Through by Daylight to San Bernardino.
STAGES VIA CHINO, RIVERSIDE, CARSON AND RIVERSIDE, carrying the United States mails express, leaves SPADRA every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY at 8 A. M. The entire trip is made by day, thus affording travellers an opportunity of passing over some of the finest portions of Southern California.
The route passes through the beautiful country of Riverside and the famous Chino.
Tickets should be purchased and seats secured of the agents at Los Angeles.
H. W. ROBINSON, Supt.
STAGE OFFICE—No. 15 Main street.
J. L. WARD, Agent.
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CERTIFICATE OF PARTNERSHIP
OF THE FIRM OF W. C. HOWELL & Co., doing business in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California.
The undersigned persons, hereby certify that the above described partnership is composed of the following persons and no others, whose names and places of residence are as follows, to-wit:
W. C. Howell, Los Angeles. [Seal.]
W. C. Bowers, Los Angeles. [Seal.]
In witness whereof we have hereunto affixed our hands and seals this fourth day of December, 1874.
W. C. HOWELL, [Seal.]
W. C. BOWERS, [Seal.]
STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
County of Los Angeles.
On this 4th day of December, in the year 1874, before me, A. W. Potts, County Clerk of Los Angeles County, personally appeared W. C. Howell & Co., agents for Singer's sewing machine, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purposes and purposes therein expressed.
Witness my hand and official seal this 4th day of December, 1874. A. W. POTTS, Clerk.
By E. H. OWEN, Deputy. del9 lm

NOTICE.
THE SAN PEDRO IRRIGATING COMPANY, principal place of business being Compton, Los Angeles county, State of California.
Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors held on the 16th day of January, 1875, an assessment of eight and one-third cent upon the capital stock of said company, being Twenty-five Dollars per share, was levied upon the capital stock of said corporation, payable on or before the
15th Day of January, 1875.
To J. J. Morton, Secretary of said corporation, at his office in Compton, said county and State.
Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the said 15th day of January, 1875, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before it is sold on the 5th day of February, 1875, pay the delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising and expenses of sale. J. J. MORTON, Secretary.
Compton, Los Angeles Co., State of California, Dec. 16, 1874. del18

LEWIS LEWIN,
SUCCESSOR TO BRODRICK & CO.
At the well known
BOOK AND MUSIC STORE,
SPRING STREET, - adjoining the Postoffice,
Is offering to his friends and the public in general
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR.
The finest assortment of Standard
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GUITARS, VIOLINS,
ACCORDEONS, BANJOS,
CONCERTINAS, FLUTES,
And many other useful articles suitable for presents.
Fine Stationery, Blank Books, Prayer Books, Bibles
And hundreds of other articles, too numerous to mention.
No pains will be spared to meet the wants of the public, and I hope to merit a fair share of patronage.
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FISHER & THATCHER,
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DOWNSIDE BOYS! HERE WE ARE!
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Have just received a complete new stock of the very
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— AND —
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A Fine lot of Goods of our own manufacture in stock.
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Engraving in all its branches executed by none on this coast.
All goods sold by us engraved free.

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THE SLEEPING APARTMENTS
Are large and well ventilated, and in the best possible condition.
THE TABLE ALWAYS SUPPLIED WITH THE BEST OF THE MARKET
No expense will be spared to make the Hotel equal to any on the coast. a20-15-6

Los Angeles Herald.
CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.
SATURDAY, DEC. 19, 1874.

Pacific Coast Items.

Wild boars annoy the people of Mariposa City.
Nevada county's printing costs from \$1,800 to \$2,500 per year.
The price of gas in Santa Rosa has been reduced from \$6 to \$5 per thousand.

The Anaheim Lighter Company declared its first dividend on the 7th—\$15 per share.
The Buena Vista Wine Company, whose winery is situated near Sonoma, have about 500,000 gallons of wine on storage.

The trial of Gilbert McGavin, for the murder of Tom Robinson, will commence at Hollister on the 8th of next April.
The Stockton Independent says that Shafer, the rancher who surrendered Grannie, made \$500 out of the transaction.

According to one of the latest directories, Sonoma county contains 52 cities, but only two John Smiths in the number.

A. A. Herby sold his farm on the Sebastopol road, five miles west of Santa Rosa, 80 acres, with improvements, for \$3,000.

An Indian boy at Santa Cruz, Luis Lamphere, took strychnine last week and departed for the happy hunting grounds.

Charcoal in large quantities is being shipped from the vicinity of Sebastopol and Forestville to San Francisco by the Donahue route.

Murdoch, editor of the San Jose Patriot, says there is no truth in the report, so far as he is aware, that he is to be appointed Postmaster of that place.

A man by the name of Mike Sullivan fell off a large loading with brick at the Centre street wharf, Stockton, at 7 o'clock Friday evening and was drowned.

Muskrat grass is being sown extensively in Lake and Mendocino counties. It is said to be fine for hay and rich green feed. Frost, wet nor dry weather affect it.

The San Benito Advertiser is informed that a quicksilver mine has been located about eleven miles south of the New Idria. The deposits are reported to be rich in mineral ore and a company of San Francisco men are interested in the prospect and are about to incorporate it.

Miscellaneous.

"A stitch in time"—Wonder if it is in his back?
A long winded orator is said to have a sleeping car attached to his train of thought.

We mount to heaven, mostly on the ruins of our cherished schemes, finding our failures were successes.

The man who sang, "Oh breathe no more that simple air," went into the smoking car where it was mixed.

An Illinois desperado "had 'em" when he arose and said: "Yes, gentlemen, Waterloo was the biggest kind of a fight, but Washington whipped 'em like a wink."

The proprietor of a hotel has a magnificent scheme. It is a circular hotel to turn on a pivot, like a locomotive turn-table. The object is to give guest a front room.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CAUTION.

WE ARE INFORMED THAT PARTIES are selling an inferior grade of soap and represent it to be manufactured by us. We caution all not to be deceived by the "Chemical Soap," manufactured by Los Angeles Soap Co.
We also give notice that we have removed to our new factory on First street, and with increased facilities hope to be able to supply all demands made upon us.
LOS ANGELES SOAP CO.
dec13-1w

Business Change.

THE UNDESIGNED have purchased the general Grocery, Provision and Liquor store of Peter Lunney, on Main street, near the door from Court. All debts of the old concern will be paid by Lunney. The patronage of the former friends of the house is solicited.
TOLIN & GOODWIN.
dec13-1w

NEITZKE & WOHLERS, UNDERTAKERS.

And Manufacturers and Importers of Metallic, Rosewood and Walnut COFFINS
—AND—
Coffin Trimmings.
No. 3 Spring St., opposite Temple Bank, LOS ANGELES.
Keep constantly on hand the Largest and Best Assortment of goods in their line to be found in Southern California.
Bodies taken in charge and details of burials personally and promptly attended to.
ERNEST NEITZKE, City Station, G. H. WOHLERS, dec13-1w

Well-Digging and Grading.

I AM PREPARED TO DO WELL-DIGGING and grading in the most satisfactory manner and on the shortest notice. Water guaranteed for Wilcox Litters of all dimensions.
REFERENCES.
By permission, I refer to Mr. Longstreet, Mr. Ledyard, Mr. Heaton and Dr. Whittier.
THOMAS HAMILTON,
at A. A. Hubbard's,
Corner Sixth and Spring Sts.
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GO TO THE GRANGE STORE FOR CHEAP GOODS!

154 Main street.
JOHN H. SEYMOUR, General Manager.
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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

GOLD REPORT.
SAN FRANCISCO, December 18.
Gold, 112.
Greenbacks—Buying, 99; selling, 99.
San Francisco Markets—By Telegraph.
SAN FRANCISCO, December 18.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes FLOUR, WHEAT, RICE, and various other commodities.

Wholesale Market.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes FLOUR, WHEAT, RICE, and various other commodities.

Retail Market.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Prime beef, Pork, and various other commodities.

MEATS.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Prime beef, Pork, and various other commodities.

COFFEES.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Java, Mocha, and various other coffee types.

WINE.

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